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SUBJECT: DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE ON INTERNATIONAL HUMANIT-
ARIAN LAW-VIETNAMESE PROPOSAL ON COMPENSATION
FOR VIOLATIONS

1. ON 26 APRIL WORKING GROUP OF COMMITTEE ONE OF LAW OF
WAR CONFERENCE ARRIVED AT CONSENSUS AGREEMENT ON SOCIALIST
REPUBLIC OF VIET NAM AND ALGERIA SPONSORED PROPOSAL
ON COMPENSATION FOR BREACHES OF THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS OR PROTO-
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2. TEXT AGREED UPON IN WORKING GROUP DOES NOT CHANGE
EXISTING LAW BUT REFLECTS EXISTING LAW CONTAINED IN
ARTICLE 3 OF FOURTH HAGUE REGULATION. NEVERTHELESS,
SPONSORSHIP BY VIET NAM MAY GIVE RISE TO SPECULATION THAT
TEXT IS DIRECTLY RELATED TO VIET NAM WAR AND VIETNAMESE
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SUPPORTED THE PROPOSAL IN THE COMMITTEE.

3. TEXT OF CONSENSUS AGREEMENT FOLLOWS:
QUOTE A PARTY TO THE CONFLICT WHICH VIOLATES
THE PROVISIONS OF THE CONVENTIONS OR OF THE PRESENT
PROTOCOL SHALL IF THE CASE DEMANDS, BE LIABLE TO PAY
COMPENSATION. IT SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ACTS

COMMITTED BY PERSONS FORMING PART OF ITS ARMED FORCES.

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